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CROSSING A VIADUCT IN FRANCE AT LIGHTNING SPEED

Story Told by a Traveler on the Way to Paris About an Experience That Befell His Uncle—The Train Came to His Station Before He Had Finished.

There were six of us in the railway carriage and between Paris and Rouen the train ran at tremendous speed to make up lost time. The talk among old travelers fell naturally upon railway speed and then of course it turned to railway accidents due to high speed. One after the other we gave what we deemed strange tales of danger by rail. The last man to furnish a contribution was a wizzened old fellow, whose twinkling eyes twinkled all the more as horrors were piled upon horrors. He mused for a moment and then said:

'I know of one adventure by rail that may interest you gentlemen although I was not personally concerned in it. It happened to an uncle of mine, an invalid who was returning from Nice to Paris a few years ago. If you remember, the custom was then to change cars at Lyons. The train came to a stop in the Lyons station and the passengers after climbing up some twenty steps, found another train ready for Paris.

ON THE VIADUCT

'The train by which my uncle traveled was the day express noted for speed and always in the hands of the best men on the line. As in the case with us at this moment there had been some time lost through a hot box and as the train reached the neighborhood of Lyons it was really whizzing along the tracks. If you know the country at all you may recall that at the little town of Vienne the line crosses a viaduct over one of the small rivers that empties into the Rhone at that point. For years it has been and still may be, the custom to 'slow up' when going over this viaduct.

'On that particular morning the day express was sent across the viaduct at a speed which brought most of the old travelers to their feet. Such a thing had never been heard of. My uncle among others, opened the window of his carriage (the doors were locked) and looked ahead. His carriage was near the front of the train.

'As he raised the window above the roar of a train going at nearly sixty miles an hour, he heard a shriek of terror come apparently from the locomotive then in other and a third. He soon discovered that many of the passengers in the cars ahead of him were watching the locomotive with blanched faces. What was going on? The fellow travelers in my uncle's compartment asked the question, but were too frightened to suggest any reply.

AN AWFUL MOMENT

'As another piercing and awful shriek rose above the roar of the train one of the ladies went into hysterics and another fainted. My uncle asked some one to hold his body while he stretched out and called to some people in the car ahead. As he did so he saw only too plainly the trouble. The engineer had gone crazy and was standing over his assistant with a redhot poker. My uncle caught one glance of the maniac's face as he looked out from his cabin at the locomotive and shook his fist in the faces of the terrified passengers.

'The screams they heard were from the poor wretch of a stoker, whose attempts to get into the cab of the locomotive were repulsed with the red hot iron, but who struggled now that ending some frightful burns upon the hands and chest.

'The stoker knew the danger and so did many of the passengers. My uncle knew perfectly well that the track upon which we were running virtually ended in the river at Lyons. There was a short stone parapet which a train going at sixty miles an hour would make nothing of, and then—the Rhone. There was scarcely time for thought and yet this thought did present itself—that the end was coming and soon—for already the outskirts of Lyons were rising into view.

'It seemed as if the train was going faster than ever. Ever since that day my uncle refuses to travel on fast trains the speed makes him nervous. In ten minutes by us would be reached.

THE END OF THE EPISODE

'A shout passed along the train. Who had a gun or a revolver? One of the men in the first passenger carriage offered to shoot the maniac if a revolver could be found. The cry passed from mouth to mouth. There was not a revolver on board. The maniac in the cab seemed to know it for he bent out and leered with devilish glee brandishing his enormous poker.

'My uncle swears that they were running at seventy miles an hour. In two minutes the Lyons station would be in sight. Though the train was flying, the passengers could see the panic stricken looks of horror upon the faces of the people along the line. In one minute—there was just time to prepare for eternity—I beg your pardon, gentlemen, this is my station and I was almost carried by—in revolt.

'And off he jumped. We were too interested in his story to realize for the moment that we had lost its point. We never knew how the old fellow's uncle and those other terrified passengers escaped death.

'I once ventured to question an officer of the railroad company as to the record of any great smashup in the Lyons station ten years ago. He never heard of any disaster of the kind. Perhaps it was not for nothing that the old Santa Claus had a twinkle in his eye.—Philip G. Hubert, Jr., in New York Epoch.

Why the Mole Is Blind.

The creatures which dwelt in the darkness of the depths naturally lost their powers of vision after awhile. It is the same way with the mole which is doubtless descended from progenitors which could see. Blindness in the mole is the result of a degeneration of the optic nerve, the consequence of which is that images formed in the eye itself are not transmitted to the animal's consciousness. Occasionally a mole can see a little out of one eye which has retained its communication with the brain.

It is not that the mole is born blind, but that it inherits a tendency to atrophy of the visual organs just as people derive from their parents an inclination to consumption or other diseases. Some day in the future there may be no such thing as a mole that is not entirely and hopelessly blind.—Washington Star.

The Good Dog, the Bad Woman.

A gentleman fond of animals had a pet dog, which his wife, who hated dogs, detested and banished whenever it entered the drawing room. One day as she was sitting there the dog marched in and lay down before the fire. The lady turned him out. The dog supposing that she was afraid of his dirtying the room brought a duster from the kitchen, deposited it on the rug and lay down upon it. The brute of a woman ended by having him kicked out.—Journal of Emily Shore.

SCALING HERRINGS

An Important Work That Is Performed in a Somewhat Peculiar Manner.

A peculiar feature of the smoked herring industry in this country is the method by which the fish are scaled. Enormous quantities of them are captured in weirs and gill nets and the catch thrown into boats. When a load has been secured the fisherman "treads them out" by walking briskly back and forth through the mass of squirming objects at the bottom of the boat. The motion of the fish upon each other and also the contact with the feet and legs of the 'treader' quickly removes the scales. In the course of half an hour a skillful operator will thus scale four or five hogsheads of the fish.

Another method consists in using a piece of board about a foot long and four or five inches in width, which is securely fastened to a long handle. This is thrust into the center of the mass and moved briskly about until by continued stirring the scales are removed in an incredibly short time. The work must be done while the fish are fresh, as otherwise the scales become set and can only be taken off with great difficulty.

Care is exercised in both processes as, if not systematically done, many of the catch will be only partially scaled, and if stirred about or 'trod out' for too long a time the flesh will be soft or bruised, in which case the catch will be less salable, and, if the skin is broken, absolutely worthless.

After scaling, they are washed and salted in tubs, barrels or hogsheads then strung on sticks from twenty five to thirty five being placed on each, according to their size. The next step consists in rewashing to remove all the blood and dirt that this cannot hold, and the strings are then laid on frames in the open air to dry and also to hasten it. Dry the gill covers. This being accomplished they are taken to the smokehouse properly arranged the fires started and the smoking begins.

Several kinds of wood are used for this purpose in different countries, white birch being preferred in France, while in England and Scotland and Holland oak chips and sawdust are considered the best. In this country pine logs that have been soaked in salt water are selected as the salt renders the wood less inflammable and it also gives off a greater volume of smoke.

Some of the curers, when the smoking process is nearly completed, build a fire with oak logs for the purpose of giving a higher or brighter color to the fish. As a matter of fact however, the wood makes little or no difference, the chief object being to get a kind that will burn slowly and at the same time yield a sufficient amount of smoke to cure the fish and at the same time burn so slowly that there is no possibility of scorching them.—Detroit Free Press.

Sorry He Spoke.

Blundell Maple, who is a member of parliament, is the son of the great furniture dealer in Tottenham Court road, who begins his career as a boy selling chairs in the streets a half century ago, has made a tendous fortune and is probably the largest dealer in furniture and furnishing goods in the world. His son, besides being an M. P., is a great swell, drives a four in hand and affects all the amusements and pleasures of the nobility and gentry. A story is told of a verbal encounter between Maple and that noble outcrop, the Marquis of Ailesbury, which occurred on Derby Day.

Maple tooled a four in hand out to Epsom with a party of ladies and gentlemen and in the crowd of vehicles at the hill he brought up behind the marquis, who in his usual shabby coat and bad hat was driving a lean horse attached to very peculiar looking vehicle resembling a small omnibus in which were seated the marchioness in lawn on the music hall stage as Dolly Tester and several of her offspring. 'Hullo! Ailsbury!' Maple called to him, 'where does that bus of yours run to?' Back up Tottenham court road. Let you off at your shop if you like, promptly responded the dilapidated peer and it recorded that Blundell Maple, M. P., was sorry he spoke.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Why the Broncho Stops Suddenly.

The Indians have developed in the broncho certain qualities which may not be of great service to white men but it certainly adapts them better to life on the prairie. It is said that an Indian will turn around on a ten cent piece and they can bring their little ponies around so short that an unlucky rider would be thrown from their back. When going at full speed the Indian gallop but suddenly brings the ponies to a halt and it is in this way that they are taught to stop so short that ordinary riders are pitched over their heads.

Under the instructions of the Indians they go through a series of evolutions that are interesting. They will stop short, jump up on their haunches until they are almost as straight as a true wheel around in a very few feet and dash off in another direction. At a word or sign from his master the well trained broncho will suddenly stand as still as if petrified although just previous to the word of command he may have been rushing along at a breakneck speed.—New York Epoch.

Brief Mention.

Dr. Barnes of Scituate had for a parishioner a rich but hard grasping penurious and quarrelsome man. In course of time he died and at his funeral the minister dealt with him in no gentle phrase.

The next Sunday the bereaved widow came herself to the parsonage, bringing the usual 'note' and at the same time preferring an earnest request that as the minister had already given her husband such a raking at the funeral he would quietly pass him over in his prayer. She added that her husband had always been kind and good to her and to his family.

'Well, well, we'll see,' said the aged and venerated pastor. His curt relief of himself in his prayer was this:

'Thou knowest, O Lord, that thy departed servant was a good provider for his family, but beyond that his friends think and we think the less said the better.'—Atlantic Monthly.

A Valuable Ring Plowed Up.

Mr. J. H. Way while plowing on the Uncle Mike Davis' farm one day plowed up quite a valuable curiosity. It was a large ring forged out of a silver dollar, inclosing for a set a ten dollar gold coin. The top of the coin had been smoothed off and had a Masonic square and compasses engraved upon it. The probabilities are that it was lost before the war. When shown to us it was as bright as new.—Holden (Mo.) Enterprise.

Where Women Predominate.

The most unfortunate town in France seems to be Yvetot. Its population of 8,000 has decreased greatly since the last census and almost entirely among the males. There are 300 more maidens than bachelors, 50 more married women than married men and 315 more widows than widowers.—Chicago Mail.

FORTUNES IN REFUSE.

PEOPLE WHO PAY FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF SORTING OFFAL

An Unloveliness Business Which Is Monopolized by Italians in New York—Big Prices Paid by Contractors for the Control of Garbage Scows.

Scow trimming' is the euphemism for a very dirty job that of raking and picking over the garbage of the city as it is dumped by the carload upon the scows that bear it out to sea. The rubbish has to be shoved about of course, in order to load the scow evenly and thoroughly and the men who first undertook to perform this work for the privilege of keeping anything valuable they found in the garbage got a good deal of sympathy from the public for being forced by want to work at so disgusting a job for such poor pay. These men were Italians, who did the work with their own hands.

By degrees the profitable nature of the undertaking dawned upon the city politician and he bid for the contract himself and needless to say secured it, subletting the job to the Italians who still did the actual work. Year by year the price has risen till at present the one contractor who has secure these privileges at all the garbage dumps in the city pays about $4,000 a month into the public treasury. When it is considered that he employs about 300 Italian laborers at daily wages averaging over one dollar each his annual output must exceed over a quarter of a million dollars. This and much more he gets back from the rubbish.

As one thinks of the business he naturally wonders how New Yorkers can be so careless as to lose so many coins, bits of jewelry and valuable articles generally as all this amounts to and he imagines the dusty and begrimed Italian pickers as they rake over the foul smelling garbage every and anon pouncing with eager claw upon some glittering watch golden ornament, shining pin or missing coin and adding it to the pile which goes to enrich the contractor. Be not deceived these windfalls are few and far between. If you were to look at the piles of things the trimmers save from the scow you would probably wonder why they did not let them go with the other dirt.

WHAT IS DONE WITH PICKINGS

Bottles make one pile. These are sold to the bottling agents and those who deal in drugists' supplies. Old shoes form another. If there is any wear at all left in them they are sold to cobblers on the East side who patch them up and sell them cheap at second hand. If they are past cobbling, the leather itself can be macerated and worked up into 'leatherette' or leather paper, used for decorative purposes and also for purposes of deception upon those who cannot tell it from real leather.

Rags no matter how dirty compose another pile. These are taken to cellars in the Italian quarter and there carefully picked over by women and children who sort them according to the material of which they are made. These are sold to paper makers. Scraps of paper go to the same place and are made into pulp and again presented to the public in the clean white sheets.

Another particularly foul smelling heap is composed of bones. Think of all the bones that are thrown daily into the ash barrels of such a city as New York. Not one of them is wasted. They are burned and pulverized and are used for refining sugar or enriching the soil of market gardens and so come back to New Yorkers in the shape of early cucumbers or cauliflower.

When New Yorkers are returning in shoals from the country a great deal of housecleaning goes on, and the quantity of material which the householder regards as no good and so throws away increases largely to the great delight of the scow trimmers.

OTHER BONANZAS

Springtime is profitable and the fullest season of course is midsummer. The itinerant ragpickers who wander about the streets raking over the ash barrels on their own account also deplete the contractors' profits but take it all the year through and the ash barrels of this big city are a steadily paying gold mine.

This is not the only bonanza that has been discovered going to waste and untouched right under the eyes of the shrewd Yankees by the simple Italian immigrant. Look at the boot blacking and fruit stand business of this city. Not many years ago most of the boot polishing done in the streets fell to the hands of little boys who with little boxes on their shoulders, invited their customers to stand uncomfortably on one leg in the crowded streets while they did this work.

Then the Italians took hold of it. Comfortable armchairs under shady awnings or big umbrellas invited the customer to sit at ease and read his paper while a musical Italian put a dazzling polish on his shoes in half the time that the small boy required. Then the Italian who first saved enough money to buy two chairs hired another man to do the polishing at one of them until in many instances one man owns a few dozen stands of this sort at available corners all over the city and possibly the man who sits near you with glittering diamonds and stylish clothes at some uptown restaurant and orders champagne while you have to content yourself with beer, is really a bootblack by profession though he looks as if he never polished a shoe in his life, not even his own.—New York Tribune.

Hubby's Lovely Present.

A fashionably dressed lady had just finished making a purchase in a Chestnut street jewelry store on Saturday when another lady entered. 'What are you doing here?' inquired the latest comer. 'Oh I've been buying my husband the sweetest little present,' confided the former lady. 'Tomorrow is my husband's birthday, and I am going to give him such a delightful surprise. I have bought him a handsome new gold watch in place of his old one for only $150.' Just then the clerk approached. 'Shall I charge that?' he inquired. 'Of course,' was the reply, 'to Mr ——'.—Philadelphia Record.

Looking Out for Herself.

I knew a lady who had a little daughter whom she was very particular to have say her prayers every day. One morning, when the child ran out in a great hurry to play her mother called after her, "Mary, did you ask God to take care of you, like a good little girl?" "No mamma," she answered, "Mary tought she would tate tare of herself today."—Cor. Babyhood.

Labor Lost.

Young Hardhead—I don't see why I am not invited to parties oftener. I am sure I always behave like a gentleman.

Young Lighthead—That's the trouble. You are so very gentlemanly that the girls think you stupid.—New York Weekly.

Henry Ward Beecher at Seventeen.

Mr. first meeting with Henry Ward Beecher was in the early part of May, 1830. He was a classmate of a brother of mine, in Amherst college and very close friends. The two were just out of their freshman year when, together with another college classmate they walked from Amherst to my father's house at West Sutton for their spring vacation.

At that time young Beecher was not seventeen years old but so young and boyish was his appearance that no one would have thought him more than fifteen—an age when boys are usually awkward and painfully bashful. For that reason my family feared we might not be able to entertain or make the young man comfortable. But awkward he never was and his roguish mouth, his laughing, merry eyes, his quaint humor and his quick repartee soon dispelled all such anxiety.

Before the first evening he spent at our house had passed none of the family felt him to be a stranger.

My father was absent with some of his patients when the young man arrived, but returned in the evening when all were laughing heartily at some story Henry had just told. Father stood in the doorway—tall, dignified and somewhat stern, at such a time it. When aware of his presence my brother at once introduced his classmates.

Little by little the same subtle influences which had pervaded the whole evening's entertainment stole over father's face, and long before it was time to retire they were telling mirth provoking stories as cheerfully as if they were boys together.

When at length the 'good nights' were exchanged I left father and mother by the fire while I made some preparations for breakfast.

As I returned to the room father was saying:

"Well he is smart. He'll make his mark in the world if he lives."

"Why, father," I asked, "what is young Beecher?"

"Such was Henry Ward Beecher when I first saw him and truth to tell, he was not remarkable for his beauty."—Mrs. Beecher in Ladies' Home Journal.

The Rust of Life.

The tissues and organs do not all mature at once in man. It results that when we reach mature age our capacity for some exercises has notably diminished while for others it is preserved in its complete integrity. At forty five years the bones and muscles have lost none of their solidity and vigor. The aptitude for exercises of force and bottom continues. But we cannot conclude from this that the man is as apt in all forms of exercise as he was at twenty five.

While the motor apparatus proper is not sensibly modified in the maturity of life, particularly if one has kept it by regular practice, this is not the case with some other apparatus that begin to decline earlier—notably with that for the circulation of the blood. The heart and the arteries in spite of the most rational exercises lose with age a part of their serviceableness because they lose some of their normal structure.

After thirty five years of age we recognize even in conditions of perfect health a tendency to a gross a defect in nutrition that lessens the suppleness of the vessels and causes them to lose a part of their elastic force. This change which goes on with increasing age has received the picturesque designation of the rust of life.—Popular Science Monthly.

Boulanger's Adventure in Philadelphia.

During Boulanger's visit to the United States he made a short stay in Philadelphia and in company with Captain Emil Lichenstein and decamp had rooms at the Continental hotel. On returning for the night General Boulanger left his watch and money on a table in his room a partitioning between his and Captain Lichenstein's apartments. At 6 o'clock the next morning the general was aroused by a noise and detected a bold thief William Connelly alias 'Buffalo Bill,' an expert hotel thief with the general's watch and money in his hand.

The general springing up seized his sword, and detained Connelly while he aroused Lichenstein and the hotel attaches. The latter found Connelly guarded by the Frenchman with drawn sword. Connelly was identified by detectives as an old offender and was railroaded by Judge Allison receiving a sentence of three years in the county prison and being required to give $2,000 security for his good behavior for a year afterward.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Good Advice.

There was much homely wisdom in the advice given by an old New Hampshire farmer to his dreamy son who neglecting his proper work about the place, spent many hours upon certain foolish verses that he could not make sound right even to his own unerring ears.

"Seems to me, Bill," said the farmer one night looking across the living room table at his son who with his forehead painfully knotted was gazing disconsolate by at a half covered sheet of paper, "seems to me sef, if you'd really been cut out for a poet the Lord would ha planned it some ways so's you could ha fetched a couple o' words that'd match out a poun' brun 'thout quite so much terrible hard work an face twistin.

"If I was you Bill I'd believe I shouldn't take to poetry till I'd found there wasn't another nameable trade I was fit for. A hoe," he added in a meditative tone, "a hoe now, would set full as easy in your hand as a pencil does, Bill."—Youth's Companion.

He Did Not Get the Passes.

The anecdotes connected with the free list would fill a volume. One day when Nestor Roqueplan was the director of the Opera Comique he was handed the card of a gentleman whom he did not know from Adam and who had called five and twenty times. The visitor was admitted, and very politely but persistently claimed his free passes, which had been suppressed. His grandfather had an opera performed in 1803. Roqueplan asked the visitor to hum an air of said opera. The young fellow could not comply with the request. "Well, monsieur, I am still more ignorant of your grandsire's music than you are, so you must admit that your request is an unreasonable one."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Where Mary Was.

In New York, on the east side there is a club of newsboys, bootblacks and street gamins of every degree. One night recently the women of the church that supports the club gave the boys an entertainment, the main feature of which was a recitation by a beautiful east side elocutionist. The woman dressed in silks and lace, stepped out on the platform and began to recite a pathetic poem the refrain of which was, 'Oh where, oh, where is Mary?' The third repetition of the inquiry was answered by a shrill voice, 'She's on de Island', mum, washin fer de loonies'.—New York Sun.

A Day's Find at the Postoffice.

In one day the following articles were received among the unclaimed packages: Wall paper, watch case, piece of wood wheels, veils, [illegible] of the Giant's Causeway, a fully [illegible] upper type, thread, a pipe, six [illegible] of a silk tie, a tidy, a skein of [illegible], five skeins of thread, a sheepskin, [illegible] satin, a spectacle case, a pair of [illegible], a pair of black sleeve links, [illegible] wooden roller ribbon, a steel [illegible] rivet, four finger rings, two [illegible] needles, a nankeen ring, a manuscript, [illegible] measure, a pair of mittens, [illegible] keys, two knives, a baby's jacket, [illegible] hat, a dozen watch hands, a pair of [illegible], a cast iron hook and a pair of glasses.

Still to the day's finds [illegible] be added a white china four electro [illegible] a package of ultramarine blue, [illegible] chromos, iron castings, china [illegible] Christmas cards three watch chains, [illegible] buttons, visiting cards, a pair of [illegible] braces, a white satin bow, a package of postage stamps, a photograph album, two razors, a child's shirt, toy book, [illegible] buttons, sugar, coffee, butter plate, [illegible] pins, a cushion, a gold lead pencil, [illegible] gold pens, ladies' photographs, an [illegible] leather pocketbook, a breastpin, a [illegible] plate, a meerschaum pipe, [illegible] a stylographic pen and a ball [illegible] tested.—London Tit Bits.

Food for Infants.

While an infant is [illegible] training, it is not only safe but [illegible] proper to continue the use of the [illegible] taking until it is eighteen months [illegible]. When a change is necessary, it [illegible] be a radical one but it should [illegible] consist at first of slight additions [illegible] to the diet. Stale bread soaked in [illegible], barley and soda or [illegible] well soaked—are among the [illegible] to be employed. Later [illegible] meat, chicken and [illegible] broiled. These must be [illegible] first, and very great care is [illegible] in preparation. Beef tea [illegible] slightly laxative and must [illegible] care to cause constipation. [illegible] most of course, will with [illegible]. Beef tea or beef [illegible] children should be only [illegible] strength which would be proper [illegible]. They should be thickened [illegible] bread crumbs, and a little wine may be occasionally added [illegible] two or three months after beginning [illegible] tea and broths but one [illegible] to be allowed each day. It [illegible] in mind that the food [illegible] nutritious [illegible].—Boston Herald.

A Narrow Escape.

A friend from the [illegible] has come back from the Yosemite and he relates his experience. The stage driver [illegible] that he was seriously injured [illegible] and immediately proceeded [illegible] his hurts and [illegible].

"Venomous reptiles [illegible]. I don't know what reptiles [illegible] mean, but they make you [illegible]. Why, one day I was coming [illegible] driving a wagon when I [illegible] of a snake in the brush alongside [illegible] a spring. My horses started in [illegible] up fast to the snake [illegible] before they could spring [illegible] clear spring the snake [illegible] horses."

"But it was lucky [illegible] on?"—

"Lucky? You bet! It was lucky. He missed the horses [illegible] but he stuck his fangs clean [illegible] wagon."

"You don't say!"

"I do say and [illegible] believe it but it's a fact. He [illegible] fangs clean through that wagon [illegible] swelled up so bad that [illegible] to leave it by the wayside and [illegible] home."—San Francisco Chronicle.

How Deep Does the Earth Quake.

At Virginia City, Nev., [illegible] earthquake of 1887 was felt [illegible] by the miners in the deep [illegible] in the Comstock mines. The [illegible] quake at the same place in 1884 [illegible] took down every brick building [illegible] cracked chimneys, fire [illegible] was mere. It noticed by some of the [illegible] working in the upper level [illegible] them no damage not even shaking down loose rocks and earth. The [illegible] men in the various shafts felt it [illegible] and the deepest point where [illegible] was by the ninth station, ninety [illegible] watch at the 900 foot level [illegible] course, 900 feet below the surface [illegible] felt like a faint throb [illegible] of air, as though a blast had [illegible] above, below, or in some [illegible] In some of the Virginia [illegible] the shock was not felt at all [illegible] by station men in the shafts.—St. Louis Republic.

The Credit of a Dinner.

'Everything,' says [illegible] Chinese writer, 'has its own [illegible] construction, just as each man has [illegible] natural characteristics. If a man's [illegible] abilities are of a low order, Confucius and Mencius themselves would [illegible] into no purpose. And if an article of food is in itself bad, not even Ivan (the [illegible] Chef) could cook a flavor into it.

'Then goes on to show what care must be exercised in the choice of food.

'A ham is a ham, but in point of goodness two hams will be as widely separated as sky and sea. A mackerel is a mackerel but in point of excellence two mackerel will differ as much as [illegible] and live coals. And other things in the same way. So that the credit of a good dinner should be divided between the cook and the steward—40 per cent to the steward and 60 per cent to the cook.'—Temple Bar.

Cleanliness in Cooking.

Says a Chinese writer of the Eighteenth century: Don't cut bamboo shoots (the Chinese equivalent of asparagus) with an onion knife. A good cook frequently wipes his knife, frequently changes his cloth, frequently scrapes his board and frequently washes his hands. If smoke or ashes from his pipe or tobacco drops from his head insects fall from the wall, or smut from the saucepan gets mixed up with the food though he were a very chef among chefs, yet would men hold their noses and decline.'

An Easy Animal to Feed.

In an ostrich's stomach I found what had been a small coil of wire, with the metal eaten entirely through in places. When I took the ostriches to the fairs I allowed a crowd to gather about on the first day, and then threw in a few watermelon rinds, potatoes, carrots and other vegetables. After that I had no more bother about food for the birds—the visitors kept them gorged.—Interview in St. Louis Globe Democrat.

The aquatic plant, the bladderwort, feeds on animal life. The tiny bladders attached to the leaves and leaf stalks are each furnished with a door, the whole acting on the eel trap principle. Any small water creature that ventures to peep in is seized in the clutches of the murderous plant, and is at once swallowed and assimilated.

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LADIES' EQUESTRIAN TIGHTS at $2.00 and $3.00 per pair.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS. We have them at every price, from $1.00 to $10.00 per pair. See our "Hummer" at $5.00 per pair.

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HE IS VERY SORE.

J. Sloat Fassett sent the following message to Elliot F. Shepard some time during Wednesday:

"ELMIRA, Nov. 4.—Elmira and Chemung give about 500 for Flower. It comes from the unparalleled use of money by the democrats. The returns carefully examined, tell the whole story so unmistakably that I prefer for the present, to say nothing more. We are beaten. Why discuss the reason? It looks as though campaigns were commercial, rather than educational affairs. * * * The contest between the forces of education and the forces of desperation has only just begun. JACOB SLOAT FASSETT."

The "unparalled use of money" is about as incisive as a log wagon when coming from Tom Platt and Fassett, and directed at the democrats. Where can our side get money? It has been the fashion to speak of us as the great "barefooted" simply because we were not able to buy shoes. And now to think that we can knock out the Vanderbilts when it comes to carrying an election with money. If this thing keeps up much longer we will have silk stockings and patent leathers enough to excite the envy of even Elliot F. Shepard. Some one had better drop a pressing hint to the Lily of the Field to look after its fashionable laurels. It seems that we are coming in all the oriental splendor of a beggar's dream.

Mr. Fassett is not disposed to give the New York democrats any credit for their unparalleled supply of votes. These are the things that count, and Mr. Fassett's side did not have enough of them. Why they were short is a long story, one that has been gone over for months, yes for years.

And then to hear the pleasant news that "the contest between the forces of education and the forces of desperation has only just begun" makes us feel like sending up another shout for New York. After this contest has been continued for another year we may expect the figures 45,000 to be amended so as to read 100,000. Of course we judge from the tone of Mr. Fassett's communication that he is aware that he is the one who is full of desperation. The next time he runs up against the forces of education we may reasonably expect that he will have his legs shoved up through his head. It seems that the campaign of education is a young and lusty giant who yet has a hundred home thrusts in those good arms of his.

And Mr. Fassett's telegraphic note leaves the impression that he is very sore over the result. He doesn't lose like a man. He squeals like a kid who is having his first experience with the disappointments of life. He talks too much as we would expect from his pampered friend, Colonel Elliot F. Shepard. Fassett evidently thinks that this part of the world was designed in the beginning as a place over which he and Shepard and other premature saints of that ilk should rule. He thinks there is something wrong and that the Creator must be offended when the people choose another set of rulers. If he lives for any length of time an opportunity will be offered him to learn a great deal that is primitive.

THE ISSUE.

The Rep in an editorial tries to make itself believe that Ohio was all there was in the election. That state was all the republicans got, and they would like to think they got everything. We are told that the Ohio issues were solely of a national character. If by this we are to understand that the issues discussed were the ones that will come to the front next year, a great part of the statement is very wide of the mark. If Mr. McKinley is in next year's campaign he will be forced to talk on the subject of high protection. The free coinage fake will not then be at his disposal: John Sherman will not have a chance to write McKinley's speeches.

The campaign which McKinley has successfully closed had very little of the tariff in it. Campbell did what he could to make this question foremost, but the father of the last high protective measure dodged the issue which he had raised by former votes in congress. Now that the campaign is closed, there can be no doubt that McKinley did everything in his power to substitute a silver for a tariff issue. Even in the joint debate he could hardly be forced to say anything on the subject of the tariff. He was evidently afraid of it, even in Ohio. And if the democrats had carried that state, every republican paper in the country would now be getting out special editions for the purpose of assuring the dear public that high protection was not on trial.

There was more tariff talk from the republicans of Massachusetts in one day of the campaign than McKinley allowed to creep into his entire canvass. We heard more high protection speeches from the Iowa republicans in a week than we expect to hear from McKinley during the rest of his life.

The Rep's position is that there were no national issues in the states carried by the democrats; all such issues were crowded into the one state that remained faithful to the republicans. Next year when the republican candidates get the electoral votes of Ohio and Pennsylvania, and two or three of the territories, we will expect to hear The Rep contend that although the democrats have elected a president the cause of high protection has not been touched in a vulnerable spot. It will be put on trial only in the states that send republican votes to the electoral college.

But just keep your eye on the platform manipulators of the republican party and you may learn what, in their opinion, was generally on trial in the elections of 1890 and 1891. Just watch them put a mask on the tariff plank of their platform of 1888.

AN ABUSED BIRD.

The Rep on Wednesday brought out its pacing and bobtailed monstrosity from its poultry yard and made it do a few croaks that were alleged to be acclaims of joy. That bird thought it saw republican victory in the air. It was surrounded by a dense cloud of defeat, but it was asked to crow just the same. And crow it did, for how could it know any better?

It is a very foolish bird; but in this case a fair chance was not given it to learn from what quarter the wind was blowing. At best, a bird without tail feathers makes but a poor weather vane, and therefore the one at The Rep office might safely have had all the opportunities that were going.

This bird was put at the top of the column and then directed to set its eyes on the stars and "look pleasant." This was to prevent it from getting a peep at the reading matter below that told the story of the lost battle of the ballots. That poor old bird was fooled, hoaxed, buncoed, made a monkey of. The sacred trust which it has long put in its party was trifled with; its wonderful confidence was abused. The Rep folks ought to apologize to the bird, and promise, yes swear, never to repeat the crime.

Think of a republican bird crowing when the news comes in that Iowa and Massachusetts have gone democratic! And then another belch of joy when the democratic figures of 45,000 plurality in New York ring out on the air? If the bang-tailed rooster has not been abused shamefully, he ought to be sent to a feeble minded institute for treatment.

THE splendid majority in the State of New York settled one thing. If the democrats of that state will go into the next national convention united upon any man, his name will be put at the head of the national ticket. If those democrats come into the convention as factions they will have to be content with some Western man who is not in any way mixed up in their fights. The New York democrats united can carry their state beyond a doubt. A chance will be given them to unite upon one of their own men. If they will not accept the chance, the rest of the country will take pleasure in uniting upon some good man. The present indications are that the democrats will not need New York, and that it will not do the republicans any good.

MAJOR MCKINLEY received the following message, Wednesday morning:

HON. WILLIAM MCKINLEY, JR., CANTON, O.—I heartily congratulate you upon your election. I have no doubt that you will serve the people of Ohio with fidelity and honesty. JAMES E. CAMPBELL."

That is the way Governor Campbell accepts defeat. There will be no objection from democrats if this act of Campbell's is compared with the performance of J. Sloat Fassett on the same morning. Fassett was held up to us as one who was every inch a man. In view of this there should be no objection to the comparison from his friends.

WILL somebody be good enough to send marked copies of The Rep's rooster edition to Fassett, Wheeler and Allen? As the sender can easily go into hiding there need be no great risk of life or limb in carrying out this ghastly practical joke.

ONE of the pleasantest things in connection with the late election is the reflection that there are apparently not many republicans in the country to mourn the result.

ANY money that the various republican organizations may have in their treasuries need not be touched for the purpose of sending congratulatory messages.

Assumption.

Rev. Shanklin of the Christian church is conducting a revival here, assisted by Rev. Deibl of Sullivan.

Harlow Steward is clerking in Taylorville.

Ervel Hight was in Decatur one day last week.

Work was resumed on the two new business buildings Monday.

A. L. Brule of Denver is visiting friends here.

J. C. Kyle was in Tower Hill Sunday.

Henry Malliot is clerking for Lacharite & Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Henry were at Taylorville Monday.

Rev. Elliott exchanged pulpits with Rev. Keeler of Tower Hill Sunday.

The case against William and "Doc" Stine for assaulting Marshal Jordan has been continued to the circuit court. Bonds fixed at $1,000 and $500, respectively.

Miss Grace Pitzer spent Sunday with her parents.

J. C. Henry of Decatur came down Saturday night and stayed over Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Lilburn died in Pana Tuesday morning. The deceased has been a highly respected resident of this place for a number of years. She had been in bad health for a long time.

Frank Hornighows was in Mowequa Saturday night.

George Wemple returned from California one day last week.

A number of the young people spent a very pleasant evening with the Misses Henry, Monday.

The "Poverty Party" given by Mrs. E. E. Kilham for the benefit of the Christian church, was an entire success, both financially and sociably. "Dick" McDaniel was awarded first prize for presenting the most poverty stricken gentleman, Miss Clara LaCharite the first prize for the ladies.

Fred Simpson, who has been visiting relatives here for the last two weeks, returned to his home in Decatur Monday.

Ezra Miller and M. B. Milligan are numbered with the sick.

J. M. Beeman went to St. Elmo, Ill., Saturday, returning via Vandalia Tuesday evening.

Lewis Overholt of Pana and O. P. Galvin of St. Louis called on some of the Assumption ladies last Tuesday.

Mrs. James Atkinson of Todd's Point visited her brother, A. Fear, over Sunday.

Quite a number of Taylorville people drove over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fisher were in Taylorville Saturday.

Hon. I. W. Phillips of Bloomington delivered the third lecture of the lecture course Tuesday evening. Subject: "Our Country." He delivered a very interesting lecture to a fair sized audience. This is considered by judges to have been the best lecture of the three.

"Judge" McKee left for Monee, Ill., to complete his course in telegraphy.

William Miller of Mowequa was in town Tuesday.

Miss Della Morgan, who has been sick for several days, is now convalescent.

J. N. Steward of Shelbyville was in town Monday.

I. L. Long made a short trip up the road Tuesday.

C. A. Parish and C. A. Whitecraft of Taylorville were here Monday night. While in the city they attended the K. P. lodge which was conferring the rank of esquire on a page. They reported the lodge doing very well. They will also have work in the rank of knight in the near future. Messrs. Parish and Whitecraft were among the members of the staff which instituted the lodge and were highly pleased with the progress they have made.

Rev. Arthur Willard of Pana made his regular call here Wednesday.

Professor Ed Watson of Tower Hill spent Sunday with his family in this city.

H. O. Clair, J. M. Shoemaker and B. Bowser went out loaded for large game the other day. When they returned in the evening they looked rather worn out with one little rabbit they caught in a cornfield.

Will Thompson had an exciting runaway Wednesday. He had his team hitched in front of George Huchinson's restaurant. It started South on front street, striking the town pump and demolishing it and the wagon. Running south to Cavalet's elevator the horses turned a somersault over an embankment. After some trouble they were extricated by people rushing to the scene. The horses escaped injury.

Nov. 5.

Sullivan

A dago orchestra gave a street entertainment one day last week.

Mrs. Frank Morrell died at Peoria and was interred at the Sullivan cemetery Thursday. She was a sister of John McDonald, who resides here.

Wilson W. Fairbanks was granted license to wed Miss Alcora Downs, both parties are from Windsor, but the groom is well known here.

Charles Patterson of Terre Haute was over visiting his family here.

Noonan & Hess is the style of the tailoring firm now, successor to William Noonan.

T. P. Flynn of Brownsville, Ore., has moved here.

Clark Sutton is erecting a new residence.

Mrs. Milton David is down with typhoid fever.

W. G. Cochrane, Dr. J. L. Bone, John Milliken and Misses Lutie Ashworth and Lou Phelps were in Decatur this week.

R. L. Coates of Bloomington was down this week visiting relatives and looking after his Moultrie county interests.

David R. Alexander of Decatur was in the city this week.

Miss Edna Kellar visited friends at Shelbyville and Windsor this week.

Sullivan now receives letters on the Sunday morning mail. Heretofore only papers were received. The office opens from 8 o'clock to 9 o'clock a. m.

The new Walter Eden block, to distinguish it from the Eden hotel block, has been christened the Terrace.

Warren Powers has charge of the Wabash railroad office at Altamont for the present.

Isaac Price has moved his family to Mattoon.

Mrs. Taylor Pemberton and daughter have returned home from a visit to Kentucky.

Elder J. H. Diehl has returned from Arlington, Ill., where he has been conducting a successful revival.

Miss Grace Hampton of Decatur is visiting relatives here.

John D. Daugherty sells off his personal property by public sale, on his farm six miles east of here, Nov. 14, preparatory to moving to Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hughes have a brand new daughter at their house.

Isaac Hudson has sold to William P. Dunn 120 acres in Sullivan township for $6,000.

Nov. 5.

Cerro Gordo

Abram Funk died Saturday morning at his home in this city. He was over 80 years of age and had been a resident of Cerro Gordo township for nearly 40 years. The funeral services were conducted at the Presbyterian church Sunday by Rev. Balnum of Bement.

William Humphrey and wife of Monticello were in town Sunday.

Miss Lulu Elliott of Decatur visited friends in town a few days the past week.

Bert Hall of Decatur was a guest at the home of D. C. Sayler over Sunday. He returned home Monday.

Jacob B. Frantz, who went to California a few weeks ago, has returned home. He says that California will do very well for some people, but that Illinois is a good enough place for him.

Several Halloween parties were given Saturday night.

B. F. Wayne has sold his meat market to Charley Stevens, who will conduct it at the old stand. The trade was made Monday.

Fox, the restaurauter, has sold his business to Mrs. Comfort Cripe of Taylorville. The trade was made Friday.

E. T. Lee was in town the first of the week. He spent most of his time talking about his famed "reunion of the Blue and Gray" at the World's fair. According to his talk this is to be the largest part of the fair.

Mrs. Moreland lectured at the Christian church Monday evening in the interests of the Rebekah lodge. The lecture was well attended.

A black spot on the roof of the depot shows where a festive little spark fell Thursday. The fire was discovered before any serious damage was done. A few buckets of water extinguished it.

Deputy Finch lectured again at the Christian church last night in the interests of the I. O. O. T. Failing to establish a lodge, he became somewhat out of patience and said some things that would have better been left unsaid. He can hardly expect to have any better success in the future on account of the words used.

Nov. 5.

Stonington.

A dance at the new hall tonight.

William Davidson left with a car load of plunder and stock, today, for Central Nebraska, where he expects to make his home. So we have lost one of our best farmers.

Dr. Asa Buffington of Old Stonington, died very suddenly last Sunday evening of rheumatism of the heart. Dr. Buffington was widely known here as an experienced veterinary surgeon. He was seen on our streets Saturday, apparently as well as ever. He leaves quite a family of well reared young men and women, for whom he has set a good example in his noble character and truthfulness. His remains were interred Monday afternoon at the Old Stonington cemetery.

Warren Corzine was slightly indisposed the first of the week, but is able to be at his place of business again.

Charlie Grebb has a brother visiting him that he has not seen for 10 years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bond are down in the Ozark mountains, hunting the festive deer and b'ar. Hope they will bring back at least a jackrabbit.

The old Bebl farm has been haunted lately. Not by a ghost, as was supposed, but by an old tramp. Mrs. Woods, who has been living there, was so badly frightened that she is moving to town. She will stay for a time with John Devore's family. The boys caught the tramp, but released him again.

An Epworth league has been organized at the M. E. with Charles Nelms as president and Abbie Chesebro as secretary.

Marion Buffington and Hiram Adams will leave here soon for Oklahoma.

Farmers are all very busy in the corn harvest and very few come to town.

Nov. 4.

Ivesdale.

Miss Annie Foohy of Champaign is the guest of her cousin, Miss Josie Foohy.

Miss Murty of Danville was in Ivesdale on Tuesday. She came to attend the Cain McGrath wedding.

Mr. Fleming, accompanied by his son and daughter and Miss Murray of Lincoln, came yesterday to attend the wedding of Miss McGrath.

Rev. B. O'Mahon has been removed from Ivesdale to Piper City where he will take charge of a parish.

Married, this morning at 8:30 Miss Mary McGrath to William Cain. The bride was beautiful in a costume of tan colored China silk. The groom wore the usual black. They were attended by Miss Fleming of Lincoln and T. Cain, brother of the groom. The reception will be given this evening at the residence of the bride's parents, where about 250 guests will partake of the genial hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. McGrath. Numerous beautiful and valuable presents have already been sent. The happy couple received the congratulations of a host of friends who wish them all possible happiness.

Nov. 4.

Lovington.

Corn huskers scarce.

John Watts died at his daughter's northeast of town Friday, aged 78 years. He was one of Moultrie counties pioneers.

The protracted meeting is still in progress at the M. E. church. They had a jubilee Saturday. Up to that time there were 100 conversions. They expect to have a jubilee next Saturday over 200. The meeting grows in interest from night to night. There is no telling when it will stop.

T. N. Furston and family moved to St. Louis Monday, where he will work for the Walter A. Wood Manufacturing company.

Little Charley Gregory, who lost his leg on the railroad in September, is out on his crutches. He says he is getting along fine, but he has to leave off the hop, step and jump.

Nov. 4.

The Helping Hand.

DR. GREENE'S NERVURA.

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DR. GREENE'S NERVURA is the most successful remedy ever discovered. Its sales are simply enormous. It cures more cases of disease than any other known medicine, and has saved thousands upon thousands from Paralysis, Insanity, Nervous Prostration, Heart Failure, Physical Exhaustion or Death. It is beyond all question the greatest health restorer in existence.

Use this wonderful remedy if you wish to get well, for it is a sure and positive cure. For sale by all druggists; price $1.00 per bottle. Refuse all substitutes.

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If you are weak, tired and nervous, with lifeless feeling and no ambition to work, it will restore your strength, vigor and energies. If you are sleepless and wake tired mornings, with dull head, bad taste in the mouth, no appetite, depression of mind and extreme nervousness, it will clear your head, tone up your nerves, invigorate your blood and put vim and life into you.

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The price of *Wolff's Acme Blacking* is 20c. a bottle, and it is cheap at that. It costs more to fill a bottle with Acme Blacking than other liquid Dressings cost complete for the market, including fancy boxes, artistic stoppers, and other paraphernalia. *We sell the Blacking—not the package.*

As it is our desire to sell ACME BLACKING cheaper if possible, but find ourselves unable to do so owing to its present cost of making, we hold a prize of

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WOLFF & RANDOLPH, Philadelphia

It costs 10c. to find out what PIK-RON is and does. A whole page of information could not give a correct idea. **Pik-Ron** is the name of the only paint which makes **plain** white glass look like colored glass. All retailers sell it.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

Notices under five lines will be inserted in this column one week for twenty-five cents invariably in advance.

WANTED.

WANTED.—An experienced grocery clerk. Must speak and understand German. Address "H B" care of Review at once.

WANTED—Boys and girls to know that the best assortment of air guns, express wagons, dolls and doll buggies in the city will be found at the 99c store. Look about half what other dealers ask for them. 99c store 310 312 N Water street.

WANTED—Housekeepers to know they can have old mattresses of any kind worked over and made good as new at a small expense at Mattress factory in Library block. We also renovate feathers. W. D. Chamberlain & Co.

WANTED—To rent a house of six rooms, it must be within seven blocks of the corner of East Main and Franklin streets. Want to rent before the 25th of October. J. S. BERRY 311 East Main.

WANTED—The people to know that Walker & Chance pay cash for second hand goods, and do a general line of upholstering furniture, repairing umbrellas, chair caning, etc., and good bargains in all kinds of second-hand goods. Walker & Chance, 135-137 North Main street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A male English mastiff pup—Call at D. F. Herman & Son's grocery store.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One No. 9 Mansard or based front five foot show case; one No. 6 square front six foot show case; one 400 pound platform scale, one coffee grinder, one stove, one iron and gate, and other store fixtures. Also blooms, blacking, baking powders, brooms, candles, churns, cigars, extracts, pills, potions, soaps, laundry and toilet articles, teas and other goods sold by grocers, to be offered for sale in any quantity at less than wholesale cost prices to close out the stock. For a bargain see J. M. Myers, 305 South Water street.

MONEY—To loan in any amount on real estate, furniture, live stock or any other good security at lowest rates of interest. Office in Ullrich block. Geo. H. Scott.

GREAT CUT—In carpets and wall paper at Abel's carpet house.

FOR SALE—Brick residence, 14 rooms, gas, water and steam heat, 89 feet front, corner North Main and Eldorado, No. 468. C. P. Housum.

FOR RENT

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED—Rooms for rent at 240 East Jefferson street, three and a half blocks from square.

LOST—FOUND.

LOST—A small black kitten, ribbon with bells attached on neck. Return same to 149 W. Prairie and receive reward.

FOUND—A good lap robe the owner can have the same by calling at the Review office and paying for this notice.

FOUND.—A large door key, probably the key to a store. Owner can have it by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HEREAFTER The office of Ross Bros., installment company, located on North Water street, No 523 will only be open on evenings from 6 till 9 and on Saturdays. ANNIE HOGAN, Manager.

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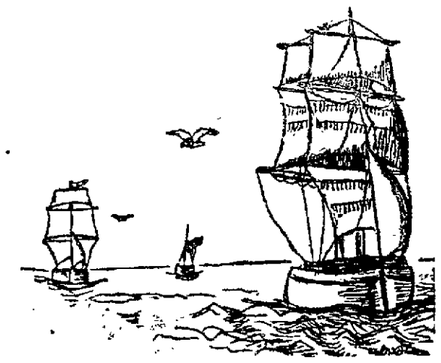
AGENTS WANTED.—The richest for years, for particulars address: "H. E. P. H., Monroe st., opposite postoffice, Springfield Ill.

PROF. R. B. LEONARD—Member of the national association of teachers of dancing of the United States and Canada respectfully informs all whom it may concern that he will be ready to give private and class lessons in dancing on and after Thursday, Nov. 5, at the hall of the order of Red Men, 223 North Main street, opposite the Syndicate block. Children's class on every afternoon. Terms $1 per month. An explanation may be necessary as to the meaning of the association of teachers, its object is to place the teaching of dancing on a higher pedestal than it has heretofore occupied. Every member has to go under an examination and a certificate is a guarantee of their ability. The Leonard assemblies that were so popular a few years ago will be received at an early date. Applications to join may be made to Hall Lefby or to Prof. Leonard. All the new dances will be exemplified at the assembly.

INSTRUCTION IN ELOCUTION.—Miss Anna W. Butler, who has been studying Delsarte with Miss Morgan at the Chicago conservatory, will give instruction in elocution in Decatur. Best of references can be given. She may be seen at the Roby.

NEW OPENING.—Ross Bros.' Installment Co. of Terre Haute, Ind., have opened an office at No. 523 North Water street. All goods sold on easy payments. A fine line of dress goods included. Please give us a call. MRS. ANNA HAGAN, General Manager.

BARGAINS—Remember you can get bargains at Hines & Co's second hand store, 43 North Main st. We handle a large line, such as furniture, stoves, tinware, lamps, dishes, cutlery, revolvers, watches, clocks, shoes, clothing and in fact everything we can buy or trade for. Our motto is small profits and quick sales. Call and see the inducements we will give you. Upholstering, furniture repairing and umbrella mending, in connection with our business. Give us a call and get some bargains. Hines & Co., 243 N. Main st., Decatur, Ill.



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COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHER ON EASY PAYMENTS.

In Your Leisure Moments

Take the time to Read and see how Cheap and Easy you can Furnish Your Home at

Cook stove and trimmings	$20.00
Bedroom suit	20.00
Parlor suit	30.00
Sideboards	15.00
Dining table	6.00
High back chairs	8.00

You can make a small payment down, the balance in weekly or monthly payments. Why not live in style and comfort? Remember the Largest House Furnishers in Central Illinois.

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CITY TICKET OFFICE—After Monday, Oct 19th, the Illinois Central and P. D. & E. R. R. city ticket office will be open from 8 a. m. until 8 p. m. local coupon and mileage tickets for sale at lowest rates. Take the Diamond Special for Chicago, St. Louis and points north, northwest, south, southwest and east and P. D. & E. to all points northwest and south east. Leave orders for back line and baggage wagon. All orders will receive prompt attention. For tickets and information, call on T. PENNWELL, City Tkt. Agt. 110 Library Block, Decatur Ill.

On account of the fat stock show the Wabash railroad will sell excursion tickets to Chicago and return at $6 45, including admission ticket to fat stock show. Tickets will be sold Nov 12, 17, and 18, good going day of sale, good returning up to and including the Monday following date of sale.

BOOK BINDING.

Practical book binding and bank book manufacturing, 137 South Water street, Decatur, Ill. Magazines bound, names stamped in gold on books, pocket-books, memorandum books, toilet cases, etc. I make telescope boxes and any kind of pasteboard boxes to order. HERMAN SPIES.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will make application at the next regular meeting of the city council for a license for a saloon at the southwest corner of East Green and North Water streets. Decatur, Ill., Nov 2, 1891. PHILIP REUBSAMEN.

EXCURSION EVERY THURSDAY—Walters and Phillips' select excursions from Minier, Delavan, Bloomington and St. Louis to California, Oregon, Washington Territory and all Pacific coast points every week, personally conducted, quick time, lowest rates. No change of cars from Minier, Delavan, Bloomington and St. Louis to San Francisco, Cal., Los Angeles, Cal., and Portland, Oregon, via the Chicago & Alton and Union Pacific railways. These parties provide a comfortable, pleasant and economical mode of traveling overland to the Pacific coast. This is our tenth year's experience in organizing and conducting Pacific Coast Parties and during that time have taken thousands of passengers so that we feel confident that our accommodations and personal conduct of parties are not equalled by any other agency. Bear in mind that our rates are as low as the lowest and that our conductors accompany each party through to California. We use Pullman's new Tourist sleeping cars, which are furnished same as a regular Pullman sleeper and for which a small charge only is made. Our managers are both accommodating and experienced, and are assisted by colored porters whose duties are to wait upon and assist our patrons. For full particulars regarding rates, routes, etc., please address,

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AMERICAN horse show and American fat stock show. For the above occasions the C. & E. I. R. will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Chicago on Nov. 12th, 16th and 19th at $6 45 round trip, which includes a ticket of admission. Tickets limited to return up to Monday following date of sale. C. O. JONSON, Ticket Agt.

THE WABASH R. R. will run a special excursion train to Danville on account of the dedication of the new Catholic school on next Sunday Nov. the 8th. Train will leave Decatur at 7:15 a. m. arriving at Danville at 8 45 a. m. and returning train will leave Danville at 6 p. m. arriving at Decatur at 8:10 p. m. Fare for the round trip $1.5. For particulars enquire of C. A. Pollock, P. T. A., Wabash Railroad.

SANTA CLAUS SOAP.

YOU ASK ME WHY 'TIS SANTA CLAUS?
THE REASON'S PLAIN I HOPE,
AS GOOD SAINT NICK'S THE FAVORITE SAINT,
SO IT'S THE FAVORITE
SOAP.

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P THEM OUT BY
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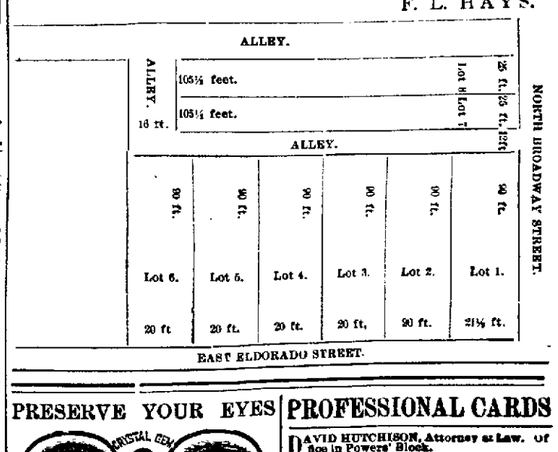
ON EAST ELDORADO STREET.

F. L. HAYS will subdivide his residence property on corner East Eldorado street and Broadway, Decatur, as per plat below, and will offer it in single lots to the highest bidder, on

Tuesday, November 17, 1891.

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms—One-third cash and remainder on or before five years' time, with semi-annual interest at 6 per cent, secured by mortgage on the premises. Abstract of title furnished with each purchase. Lots will be first offered separately, after which the entire premises will be offered in one body. The larger aggregate will govern. Buildings will be sold at the same time separate from the realty. Terms for the buildings will be cash. Any further information may be had by application to

F. L. HAYS.



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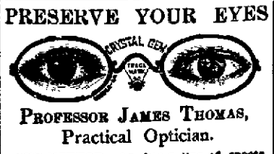

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DAVID HUTCHISON, Attorney at Law. Office in Powers' Block.

HENRY F. STARBUCK,
ARCHITECT,
CHICAGO OFFICE,— 18 and 19 Fenton Block
Ashland Block.

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ARCHITECT AND BUILDER.
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C. P. KENNEDY, M. D.,
DECATUR, ILL.
Has moved his office over Schilling's drug store, East Eldorado street, where he can be found day and night. Telephone, No. 232.

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Just received.—A most complete line of goods for fancy work. Silk pendants, tassels, balls and crescents in every conceivable color and combination of colors. Wash silks, embroidery silks, knitting silks, linen floss, celluloid sheets in colors. Plain and fancy China silks, beautiful patterns and goods.

Pretty all wool knit baby sacques in white and colors.

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Sale of seats opens Thursday Nov. 5 at the Grand Opera House Pharmacy.

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EVERYTHING ENTIRELY NEW. Gorgeous Costumes, Magnificent Scenery, Beautiful Transformations. New Tricks. New Specialties. Brilliant Calcium Effects.

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GEORGE H. ADAMS, Louise Dempsey, Victoria Wolters, Wm. Buge, W. H. Bartholomew, Eva Selbie, and many others.

The Specialties: "The Wonderful Bosbobles," "The Marvelous Lorelias," "The Graceful Trepiste Family, 8 in number.

Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00

Sale of seats begins Tuesday morning, Nov. 10, at the Grand Opera House Pharmacy.

UNION DEPOT TIME CARD.

In effect October 18, 1891.

Wabash Railway.

TO CHICAGO.		FROM CHICAGO	
No. 8	12:05 a m	No. 9	8 1 a m
No. 4	11:35 a m	No. 3	3:35 p
No. 6	6:35 a m	No. 5	3:50 p m
TO ST. LOUIS.		FROM ST. LOUIS.	
No. 9 Ex Sun	5:30 a m	No. 1 Ex Sun	3:45 p m
No. 3	3:45 a m	No. 4	11:00 a m
No. 43	4:05 a m	No. 44	11:10 a m
No. 45	2:05 p m	No. 42	10:15 p m
No. 5	2:50 p m	No. 2	11:50 p m
No. 71 frt	6 00 a m	No. 70 frt	6:50 p m
TO TOLEDO		FROM TOLEDO	
No. 46	6:25 a m	No. 43	3:50 a m
No. 44	11:15 a m	No. 45	1:55 p m
No. 42	10.22 p m	No. 41	9:00 p m
No. 48 Effing.	3:15 p m	No. 47 Effing.	10:55 a m
TO QUINCY, ETC.		FROM QUINCY, ETC.	
No 48	4:30 a m	No 42	10:10 p m
No 6 Ex Sun	3:10 p m	No 44 Ex Sun	10:50 a m
No 4	9:07 p m	No 43	6:15 a m
No 47	6:45 a m	No 48	7:05 p m
No 71 Frt	12:45 p m	No 70 Frt	11 05 a m

Ind. Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
No 1	2:05 p m	No 2	11:15 a m
No 3	1:55 a m	No 4	10:25 p m
Freight	9:30 a. m.		

Terre Haute & Peoria.

EAST.		WEST.	
No 2	2:55 p m	No 1	11:45a m
No 4	7:00 a m	No 3 arr	7:00 p m
No 6 arr	9:00 p m	No 5 frt arr	4:50 p m
No 8 frt leav	4:40 a m	No 9 frt	4:20 a m
No 10 arr	3.50 p m	No 5 leav	5:30 a m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 44 limited	1:53 a m	No 44 limited	2:52 a m
No 2 pass	9:10 a m	No 1 pass	5.35 p m
No 4 pass	9:20 p m	No 3 pass	10.20 a m
No 12 accm	2:40 p m	No 13 frt	7:40 a m
No 14 freight	5:30 p m		
No 3 Champ'n Line, arrives			10:00 a m
No 6 " " leaves			3:15 p m

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 3 leav	3:10 p m	No 1 leav	11:00 a m
No 4 leav	6:55 a m	No 2 leav	10:15 p m
No 14 frt	10:45 a m	No 11 frt	3:00 p m

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IN THE CLOTHING TRADE.

Goods bought and sold right, move off quick. Goods that are not bought and sold right become in the language of the poet

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142 OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

Give us a trial order.

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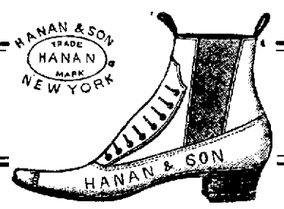

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New and stylish rigs furnished on short notice. Gentle drivers for ladies and children. Horses boarded by the week or month. Call and see me or telephone 174.

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MORNING REVIEW

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1891.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC Stated communication of Macon lodge No. 8, A. F. & A. Masons this Friday night at 7. A full attendance is requested. I. A. Buckingham, W. M, W. L. Hammer, Sec

ODD FELLOWS Regular meeting of Daughters of Rebekah this Friday night at 7:30. Members of degree staff are requested to be present. Mrs. E. C. LEIGHTON, N. G. Mrs. H. MIDKIFF, Sec.

K. of P.—Under a special Dispensation the second and third rank of the order will be conferred by Couer de Leon lodge this Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Resident and visiting knights welcome. F. O. DAMKOW C. C. F. W. WISMER, K. of R. & S.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Beautiful blankets very cheap at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

Large assortment of
FUR RUGS
ust received at Linn & Scrugg's Dry Goods and Carpet company.

John McAllister will repair your shoes on short notice. Give him a trial. Tabernacle building.

For the very best creamery butter to be had in the city call at P. Kempers, 801 North Water street.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles, and lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Henry Bros.' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

Novelties in gent's scarfs at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Dr. Reed's Foot Lotion cures offensive perspiration. Sold at Irwin's pharmacy.

Get your clothes wringers and carpet sweepers repaired at 314 North Main street, Library block. All kinds of repairs.

Dr. Reed's Favorite Lotion cures roughness of the skin.

Our fast black hose will not fade, and will outwear any that has yet been produced. LINN & SCRUGGS D. G. & C. Co.

Miss Williams is showing some handsome things in winter hats and bonnets at her store, 205 South Park street.

Smoke the new Little Rose cigar.

Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

"Centemeri" Kid Gloves
in
Black and Colors,
at
Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

For stamping, stamped linens, plush balls and tassels go to Miss Williams, south side of park.

When You Want Groceries

dont fail to go and see May & Churchman at 211 North Water street. They carry a large stock and their prices are always at the bottom.

Candies, Candies, Candies.

Have you tried those nice candies at Wood's? If not, why not?

To Housekeepers.

It is true economy to have a good carpet sweeper. It saves carpets, furniture, and above all it saves time and patience. The "Charm" or "Ohio" does all that. They are the best sweepers on the market and can be had at the Lytle & Eckles Hardware Company's store.

Retail and Wholesale.

I have moved into the new Harpstrite building, at 561 North Water street, where I will manufacture and sell at retail and wholesale the famous Headless, Pansy, Hub and 41 cigars. Come and see me when you want a good cigar. H. YAECK.

Pumps.

Wood pumps, chain pumps, and iron force pumps at the Spencer & Lehman Co.'s.

The Best.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigar, it is the best. Manufactured by Keck & Weigand.

Forty-One.

Smoke the 41 cigar, manufactured by H. YAECK, 561 North Water street.

Go to C. H. Prescott's Music House

for anything and everything you may want in that line. See his Haines' piano.

You Can Find It.

It dont make any difference what you want in the grocery line, you can always find it at May & Churchman's. Go and see them today.

Come In

And see us in our new building and get the best 5-cent cigar manufactured in the city. The Headless and Pansy are great smokers. Try them. H. YAECK,
New Harpstrite building, 561 North Water street.

Total Loss.

Last Monday evening my residence was destroyed by fire and this morning the Connecticut Fire Insurance company paid cash in full payment of policy. I take great pleasure in recommending the Connecticut Fire Insurance company and their agents, Messrs. Handy & Kuny.

MRS. A. H. SHELLEY.

Thursday, Oct. 29, 1891.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

Seneca Allison, a conductor on the Wabash, is confined to his home with tonsilitis.

E. P. Green, a Pacific express messenger, was calling on Decatur friends yesterday. He came from East St. Louis.

Operator Smith, who has been working at the Illinois Central office here at night, has gone to Missouri to work for the Missouri Pacific.

Joe Bishop is expected to be on his express wagon again today after a three days vacation. Joe Penniwell has been officiating while he was away.

Train No. 45 on the Wabash division ran into a cow while on its way to St. Louis yesterday. The pilot of the engine was slightly broken but no other damage was done.

There is a car famine at Cairo among the many railroads entering there, the demand being considerably in excess of the means of supply. The Mobile & Ohio yards are entirely bare of cars, and it will take at least 10 days to relieve the pressure. The Big Four Railroad company is away behind with their business on account of the want of sufficient locomotives to do the work. It is said that there are 350 loaded cars in their yards awaiting transportation, and business is still booming.

John Egan, Superintendent of the dining-car and cafe service on the Big Four lines, states that in the month of October this service on the entire system came within $65 of paying the expenses. In September it fell $127 short of paying expenses. What this means will be better understood when the fact is stated that during the first few months the service was placed on the system the receipts fell from $1,000 to $1,700 short of paying the expenses. What may seem singular, the cafe cars have for months been profitable.

STRAY SCRAPS.

The check boys at the Linn & Scruggs store had a taffy pulling last night at Willie Boone's on North Church street.

The Decatur Dramatic club will present "The Mystery of a Hansom Cab" at the Sullivan opera house on Thanksgiving night.

The Silver Star string band were at J. Dill's south of town, last night at an oyster supper. Some excellent music was given by the band.

Cora Deck, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Deck, fell off the front porch Wednesday afternoon and dislocated her shoulder blade.

The Culver Monument company has put down a handsome marble slab in the walk in front of their store, in Perl block, with the words "The Culver Monument company" neatly engraved thereon.

The revival at Lovington, under the leadership of D. T. Black of Decatur, still continues with great interest. One hundred and twenty-five have been converted so far. The meeting will continue over Sunday.

Surprised by Patriarchs.

Last evening at their handsome new home on West Eldorado street, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Davis and wife were pleasantly surprised by about 18 members of the Decatur Canton, No. 19, Patriarchs Militant, who had proceeded from their lodge rooms on East Main street to the house in a body and all in uniform. Mr. and Mrs. Davis were each presented with a handsome rocker during the early part of the evening, the presentation speech being made by chevalier C. J. Hartly.

Commandant Davis responded with an appropriate speech, and after supper had been served, cigars were lighted and a most pleasant evening was spent in a social chat. The full history of the organization from its earliest infancy to this time, when it is in a most flourishing condition, was discussed and commented upon.

The party dispersed at about 10 o'clock well satisfied with having passed a most delightful social evening.

In Search of a Runaway Daughter.

Springfield State Register.

Noah Ball of Taylorville was in the city yesterday in search of his runaway daughter, Mary Olive Ball, aged 15, who has ran away from home in company with John Locker, a young man who has been employed by Mr. Ball. He said that the girl left home on Sunday morning to spend the day at a neighbor's and did not return at night. Upon inquiry at the neighbor's, Mr. Ball learned that Locker had called for Miss Ball in the evening, and that they had left the house together. Mr. Ball supposed they had come to Springfield and been married there yesterday, but learning that such was not the case, left instructions with County Clerk Rogers not to issue a marriage license to Locker if he applied for one. Mr. Ball proposes to make it unhealthily warm for Locker if he gets his hands on the young man.

Sent to Danville.

A man attracted considerable attention yesterday morning by his strange actions on Water street. He was standing at the corner of Main and Water streets and was suddenly taken with a fit. People near by could do nothing to quiet the man and Officers Brockway and Williamson were called from headquarters. Before they arrived the man had two more fits, and when he was taken across the street in front of Griswold's hardware store he astonished the spectators with another fit. The officers had their suspicions aroused as to the genuineness and put him in the Short Street station. He was sent to his home in Danville on the afternoon train.

Installment of Officers.

There will be an installment of officers of the Decatur lodge I. O. G. T., No. 364, at their rooms Tuesday evening, Nov. 10. These are the new officers:

W. C. T.—W. B. Sherman.
V. T.—Miss Emma Weigand.
Past C. T.—F. E. Bunn.
Financial Secretary—D. L. Bunn.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Weigand.
Recording Secretary—Arthur Wilson.
Assistant Secretary—Hattie Coleman.
Marshal—S. W. Lehman.
Assistant Secretary—Miss Stella Jacobs.
Outside Guard—Miss Nellie Crane.
Inside Guard—Will McKey.

Sunday School Workers.

The Sunday school teachers and others interested in the study of the Sunday school lesson, will meet at Grace M. E. church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Oneal will have charge. Members of other churches have been invited.

Failure at Sullivan.

Fred O. Weismantel, baker and confectioner, was closed up Thursday by Walter Morrell, under a chattel mortgage. The other indebtedness is said to be from $700 to $800, Decatur jobbers being the principal creditors.

Marriage License.

S. R. Smith, Blue Mound	43
Frances Marion, Sullivan	23
David Lacy, LaPlace	31
Delta Gregor, LaPlace	38

NO VERDICT

In the Walsh Case—The Divorce Case Still Unfinished.

The jury in the Walsh case came into court yesterday morning at 10:30 and stated that they could not agree on a verdict. They were evenly divided, six to six, and would probably be that way all week. The first ballot stood seven for acquittal, and the second ballot eight for acquittal. After that it was six to six. The jury was discharged. Now Walsh will have another trial next term unless the case is dropped.

The Heiser divorce case took up the whole day. The evidence is nearly all in. There is a quantity of it, each side having about 25 witnesses. Many of them are women, and some German, who had to talk through an interpreter.

The case will not be taken up till tomorrow, as Attorney Hutchison has to go away. Motions will be heard today. On doubtless will be a motion for a new trial for S. S. Powell.

The Wrong Dog.

The wheels of justice were abruptly blocked in the circuit court yesterday in a manner that brought a smile to the face of the attorneys present. The Heiser divorce case was in progress and a female witness of German extraction was pouring her testimony on the court. Her voice was pleasantly modulated and her language flowed with a steady musical ripple like the purling brooklet in springtime. Attorney Webber was managing the performance and deftly kept the stream of words into the proper channel. Everybody seemed interested and willing to listen till supper time. In the midst of the flow of eloquence, Lake, the dog catcher, entered the door hugging a dog in his arms. He irreverently winked at the judge who instead of fining him for contempt of court as every one expected called a halt in the proceedings, left the bench and went over for a tete-a-tete with the chaser, while the martial agony of the Hizer household was prolonged. He came back wearing a school girl blush as if he had been conniving at a felony. Investigation found that the judge had lost a pet and this one was brought in for inspection. It wasn't his.

St. Martha's Chapter.

St. Martha's Chapter, the youngest guild of the St. John's guild, was entertained last night from 7 to 9 at the commodious home of Miss Lucile Durfee. The object of the chapter is to raise money for the church. They are now raising money for the baptistry windows and are meeting with pronounced success. An impromptu musicale was given in the evening and was enjoyed by all present. The following program was rendered: Vocal solo, Miss Ada Haines; piano solo, Miss Grace Hamsher; vocal solo, Miss Blanche Burns, piano solo, Miss Mabel Smick; vocal solo, Miss Maude Barrows; and a duet by D. Barrackman and daughter. In all instances the program was well rendered and well received. Afterwards a waffle supper was given by the members, they forming the plans and doing all the work. The following persons are members of the order: Bonnie Bartholomew, Ada Haines, Challie and Eva Downing, Belle Vinnegarholtz, Ella Bassey, Pussie Hoskins, Lyda Montgomery, Edith Race, Grace Hamsher, Claudie Arthur, Maude Rogers, Mabel Smick, Annie Roby, Alice Piper, Ressie Antrim, Blanche Burns.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. C. Miller to Bartley G. Henry, six lots at corner Oakland avenue and Pugh; $900.

W. C. Miller to Carrie J. Henry, two lots on North Oakland avenue, $300.

George M. Cox to Edwin S. Kolp, a lot in Macon, $70.

W. C. Johns to Henry Schoolcraft, 187 acres in Oakley township; $12,367.50.

Sylvester R. Wilson to William Thomas, a lot in Blue Mound; $1,000.

H. C. Johns to Henry Schoolcraft; 17 acres in Oakley township, $510.

William H. Hollingshead to George Hunter, two lots on Olive; $350.

Arthur Boutwell to E. A. and Charles Stephens, a lot on East Edmond; $1.

Lyon & Armstreng to E. A. and Charles H. Stephens, the lot on East Edmond; $1,300.

George Hunter and B. F. Walter, a half interest in two lots on Olive; $350.

B. F. Lockett to J. H. Rainey, a lot on North Main; $700.

State Bankers.

The bankers of Illinois met in the senate chamber at the state house at Springfield yesterday morning and reorganized the State Bankers' association. T. S. Ridgway of Shawneetown, chairman of the committee on arrangements, called the meeting to order and presided. Edward D. Keys of Springfield was secretary. Gov. Fifer delivered an address of welcome which was responded to by Charles Ridgely, vice president of the Ridgley National bank of Springfield. The bankers of Springfield acted as a reception committee to the visitors. James Millikin of Decatur, returned last night from Springfield. He had been there since Wednesday with the committe on arrangements getting ready for the meeting.

The Woman's Club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's club was held last night at the club room, beginning at 7:30. About 50 members were present. Mrs. Randall, the president, was in the chair. About 12 new members were admitted to the club. After the usual business of the session, Miss Julia Pauline Leavens of Chicago, a teacher of Delsarte, was introduced and made an address on Delsarte. She closed by stating that she had intended to form a class here, but she found the ground pretty well occupied. She did not say definitely whether or not she would try to do so so.

Announcement was made at the close of the evening of the three lectures in the rooms, in the course given by the Woman's Club Building company.

Another Case.

Frances—It is that tiresome Mr. Cobalt, with his everlasting gabble on art.

Laura (hotly)—I think he amounts to a good deal! He is quite wedded to his art.

Frances—A case where marriage seems to be a failure.—Life.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Mrs. E. T. Seger is quite ill.

H. C. Mowery of Forsythe is sick.

A. Martin is visiting with J. Wilbur.

Mrs. E. K. Strader is on the sick list.

Mrs. Dillon is visiting at Osmon, Ill.

Henry Wilburn is in Atwood on business.

Mark Moran returns to Aurora, Mo., today.

A. Woodburn of Quincy is the guest of W. Blackwood.

Charles Licke of Jacksonville is visiting relatives in the city.

James Dunn of Lincoln was in the city yesterday on business.

J. L. Cannaday and Harve Ketchum are in Hume on business.

A. J. Johnson of Moberly is the guest of his friend James Gody.

J. A. Davis and Grant Barkalew are visiting friends at Bethany.

Mrs. Nims of Nokomis, Ill., is the guest of her son, Walter Nims.

Mack Walters is spending this week at Mendota visiting relatives.

The little son of N. T. Watson is on the sick list with catarrhal fever.

Mrs. Frank Moore and daughter are visiting at Elmwood and Peoria.

Dr. James Henderson was in Macon yesterday on professional business.

Miss Maggie Murphey is expected to return today from Springfield, Mo.

Gordon Damrow is a clerk at Bradley Bros. during John King's absence.

Miss Leona Cazalet and Mrs. D. Nicholson of Macon were visitors yesterday.

T. D. Kellgar is confined to his home on East Eldorado street with catarrhal fever.

Matthew Waters of Chicago is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. W. Humphrey, of this city.

Mrs. Freely B. Caldwell of Chicago is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Abbot.

Mrs. Annie Workman and children left yesterday morning for their home in Macon.

T. L. Linthicum of Paris has returned to his home after a brief visit with relatives here.

John E. Patterson & E. P. Goulding, both of the Arcade, are in Chicago buying new goods.

Will Honnald of Ann Arbor has been in the city several days visiting Oliver McKenzie.

Mrs. A. B. Davidson of Lexington, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. George M. Wood and family.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Torrey left yesterday for Peoria to attend the Y. P. S. C. E. convention.

Miss Fannie Cake went to St. Louis yesterday morning, where she will spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Mae Johnson of Minneapolis is the guest of the Misses Sarah and Louie Boydon, West North street.

Mrs. J. Northcutt and Mrs. John Nicholls returned home yesterday from a visit with relatives in Blue Mound.

Mrs. Mary Louie of Hillsboro departed yesterday for her home. She has been the guest of her brother, Frank Blackburn.

Asa Clothier, on North Church street, is enjoying a visit from his father, Samuel Clothier, aged 80 years, of Spokane Falls, Wash.

Mrs. Cherry Lawrence, who has been the guest of M. S. Deck and family, was called to her home yesterday by the sickness of her little grand daughter.

H. G. Waggoner, conductor on the sleeping car run between Chicago and New York, returned to Chicago last night after a visit here to see his father, H. W. Waggoner.

Miss Nellie Elliott writes from Las Vegas, N. M., that she and Miss Anna Perry are both much better than when they left Decatur for that place. They will spend the winter there for their health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mueller, who have been in Chicago visiting Mr. and Mrs. Philip Steinmuller, returned home yesterday. Miss Lydia Mueller did not return home, but will spend several weeks longer in that city.

Visitors yesterday: Dan Davis, Maroa; J. Davidson, Mt. Auburn; John Ford and wife, Voorhies Station; Mrs. J. W. Willard, Harristown; Eli Wolf, La Place; J. J. McCarter, Argenta; Mr. and Mrs. George Clow and Miss Mary Fisher, Monticello.

"O'Dowd's Neighbors"

is the name of the new farce comedy that appears at the Grand Saturday night. It is said to be an innovation in that line, and has made an emphatic hit everywhere it has been presented. Mark Murphy as O'Dowd and Sam Ryan as his neighbor McNab are rivals for the hand of widow Riley (Ethel Lynton), and they carry off a great share of the honors. The grand operatic medley is a thing never before heard in farce comedy. Everywhere so far, at the fall of the curtain in the second act, the national songs are uproariously redemanded. The Arlington sisters have met with great favor from their dancing.

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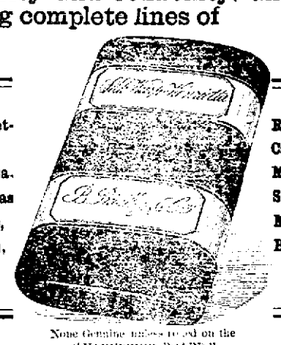

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Notice.

The Decatur Gas Lt & C. Co. hereby give notice that all wiring for electric light must be inspected before closed in, as the said company will not furnish light to any persons until wiring has been inspected and found correctly and safely wired.

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STABBED IN A SALOON.

"Buff" Ogden Killed in a Quarrel That He Provoked.

THE MURDERER HAS ESCAPED

He is Believed to Have Been Robert Malone, a Farm Hand From Harristown—The Quarrel Started in a Poker Room—Ended in Melhorn's Saloon--Dead in Ten Minutes--Description of the Men--Incidents and Rumors

Zach Melhorn was seated by the stove in his saloon last night about 20 minutes of 9 reading a paper At a table a yard away were seated Zach's brother John, their nephew Adam, and James Wallace. No one else was in the saloon. Suddenly the back door opened with a jerk and two men came in quickly. They went through the card room on a fast walk Just as they passed from the card room, Harry Ogden, better known as "Buff," came in the back door. He cried out, "Hold on, you sons of bitches, I'll get both of you"

They paid no attention seemingly, but went on through, and passed out of the swinging door in the partition that screens the bar from the street. The swinging door is only two steps from the street door, but before they got out to the sidewalk Ogden had caught them.

THEN BEGAN A SCUFFLE

Zach Melhorn got up from his seat and walked behind the bar to see what was going on He saw one of the two men, a heavy set young fellow, sparring with Ogden So far as he could see it was only a fist fight. He said

"Here, here, boys, stop that fighting' You can't fight in here If you want to fight, go out side"

He turned his back and started to the end of the bar, intending to go around through the card room and out to where the men were, to stop the skirmish, for that was all he supposed it was They were at the extreme south end of the bar, a step or two from it, and just inside the screen As Melhorn turned, he noticed the stranger make an underhand swipe towards the left side of Ogden.

As Melhorn got to the end of the bar and turned to the door from the cardroom the stranger passed him, going to the back door. He was in a hurry, but did not seem especially excited Melhorn noticed nothing unusal in his manner

The other stranger who took no part in the fight, had by this time got back to card table, where he stood leaning on a chair, as if he would raise it as a weapon When he saw his friend going towards the back door, he followed and both went out together

By this time Ogden had walked back towards Melhorn where Zach stood just in the doorway of the cardroom As Buff came up, Zach stepped back two or three steps near the stove

"I BELIEVE I AM CUT,"

said Ogden, turning up the left side of his vest and looking beneath, as if something was wrong there Without saying anything more or looking further under his vest, he let it fall, and turning around, walked out into the barroom He went unsteadily, but did not stagger About 10 feet from Melhorn, he whirled around suddenly, and went down to the floor with a thud, falling half on his face, with his feet drawn up. Melhorn went up to him, looked at him, thought he was not badly hurt An old coat was put in the corner of the bar room and Ogden's head was put on it, while his body was stretched out on its back Two or three doctors were sent for. While waiting for them, those in the saloon did nothing They began to realize then that death was near The vest was opened, and all the clothing underneath was found to be saturated with blood, which was still running from the wound, though that was not visible

Not a word was spoken by Ogden after he fell. His breath came in slow gasps His eyes were half closed. It was evident that he was unconscious

Dr Heil was the first doctor to arrive He came in about 10 minutes after the murder Ogden was then just making his last gasp He drew his breath two or three times, and then all was over.

The doctor leaned over the prostrate body and said that it was lifeless. An examination of the wound was made It was found to be four inches below the left nipple and an inch and a half to the left. It was less than an inch in length, was crosswise of the body, and was at least four inches deep The doctor probed that far He decided that

DEATH WAS CAUSED

by the severance of the abdominal artery. The knife thrust penetrated the abdominal cavity and separated completely the artery. It is a large one and the life blood of poor Ogden at once rushed from his heart.

The blood flowed outward and inward His shirt, his pants and even his stockings and shoes were saturated. On the floor where he paused near the stove a spot was found as big as a man's hand Where he fell was another one about the same size But little went on the floor where the body lay, because the clothing soaked it all up The abdominal cavity was found to be flooded with blood

THE TROUBLE STARTED

in the poker room over the saloon William Kramer and Lafe Dunham were in a game there. Dunham and Ogden had come in together only a few minutes before. Harry Hathaway was there and two or three others, among them these two strangers who were followed into the saloon later by Ogden. They were not playing. Dunham and Kramer got into a quarrel. While no blows were struck, they cursed each other roundly The heavier of the two strangers said something to Dunham, and got a few emphatic remarks in return for his interference. Seeing that there might be trouble between Kramer and Dunham, Harry Hathaway grabbed hold of Dunham and ordered the rest of the crowd to leave the room. All started down stairs. When all had got a good start, Dunham was released, and he went too.

Ogden was waiting at the door, and both went down together Kramer had gone before the strangers and went through the saloon some distance ahead of them Dunham stopped a minute, and Ogden went on. Though Dunham was outside only a minute or two—in that time a tragedy was enacted. He came in the back door as the two strangers were leaving it again together. He did not stop them and did not notice them particularly.

THE MURDERER

and his companion went into the back yard and into Combs' restaurant Two men were sitting at a table there Charles Horton and Charles Wood were at the lunch counter. They noticed the men as they went through hurriedly, and both looking backward One was seen to be shutting up a knife and put it in his pocket. Nothing strange was thought of that however A great many men go through the restaurant from and to the back entrance of the saloon and poker room. There was nothing especially suspicious about their actions.

A KNIFE

was found on the floor of the saloon at the feet of Ogden. It was picked up by Officer Connard, who was in the saloon in five minutes after the murder The knife is believed to have been Ogden's It has been identified by men who knew him as one that he carried. The big blade was open It is a short, thick blade. The handle is black. There is a corkscrew on the back.

Adam Melhorn, who saw the murder, says Ogden had a knife in his hand when he went through the saloon, and that he dropped the knife picked up just before he fell

THE TWO MEN

are believed by the police to be farm hands who worked near Harristown They came to this conclusion from what the men in the saloon and poker room told them Zach Melhorn knew them by sight as farmers near Harristown.

As yet no name has been secured for either

It is known, however, that the murderer worked for John Holmes close to Harristown all summer and was there as late as last Saturday. He is described as being 35 to 40 years old 5 feet 8 inches tall, and rather heavy, but not heavy set, weighing perhaps 165 or 170 pounds He has a sandy mustache, a red face and dark brown hair. He was much the poorer dressed of the two, having a faded brown coat, dark pants with a light stripe a black stiff hat, old and well worn

The other man is 24 or 25 years old, of dark complexion with black mustache and hair He has a peculiar eye a turned up nose and is of slim build A little stooped over. He was rather well dressed, with dark clothes, and pants that had a very springy bottom.

Charley Walker from near Harristown was in the poker room just before the trouble He knew one of the strangers and talked with him Walker left early to take the 9 o'clock train for Harristown

THEIR IDENTITY KNOWN

Within half an hour after the murder Captain Bailey, Officers Williamson and Imboden and J. H Matherspaugh left in a spring wagon for the Holmes place near Harristown They got back about 3 this morning, without the men, but with the name of one, and the firm conviction that that one is the murderer. His name is Robert Malone. He worked for Holmes the most of last summer He left there Aug 24 but went to Scottsburg, Ind, to visit a brother He returned last week with a painter named Ed So far, his last name has not been obtained, though he has been indentified as the partner of Malone in the trouble Both men went to work last Saturday for Tom Talbert. They worked till Wednesday night Then the painter was discharged because he could not do the work. Malone said he would quit, too, and both left presumably to go to Warrensburg to see if they could get a job of corn husking there So far as the people knew where the officers inquired, the men went to Warrensburg Their description of the two men tallies exactly with the description of the men in the murder

A SUSPICION

About 11 o'clock last night two strangers entered the I C telegraph office at the depot and asked permission to leave their bundle there, stating that they were going south on the P D & E freight Ticket Agent Smith took charge of the package which consisted of a bundle wrapped up in newspaper and fastened with shawl straps, and placed it inside the partition. The strangers went into the waiting room and sat down.

Night Clerk Keas saw them and thought they answered the description of the two parties who were concerned in the murder. He told his suspicions to Policeman May but May did not agree with him The two fellows grew restless under the scrutiny and left the room. A gentleman who was at the lunch counter and had heard the suspicion sent out soon after and one of the strangers approached him and said "What the hell are these men guying us for? I want them to keep their damed optics off us" The gentleman evaded their question and immediately went into the depot. A short time before the train left on which they were to go it was discovered that the fellows were gone and had received their baggage from the telegraph office No one seems to know when or how the bundle was taken Their description tallies closely with the parties wanted

THE POLICE

are confident that they have a clew that will result in the capture of the two men.

Officers watched the railroads and the wagon roads last night "The farm" and other places were visited

OGDEN'S MOTHER.

About a half hour after the murder occurred Coroner Bendure arrived and immediately sent for Undertaker Bullard The body was removed from the position in which it had first fallen on the floor in the corner of the saloon to the Bullard undertaking rooms in Library block It was 11 o'clock before it was washed and dressed ready to be viewed by the friends. Soon after the murder the mother of the murdered man, Mrs Johnson, was found at the revival meeting at Janes Chapel and informed of what had happened. Half frantic she hurried to the saloon followed by a dozen or more of the people from the chapel. The officers at the door refused her admittance and she filled the air with the most heartrendering cries She was finally induced to go to Combs' restaurant to wait until the body could be seen. When word was finally sent her that she might come she, with the party of female friends who had accompanied her from the church rushed across to the undertakers The body lay there, the blood washed off and the gastly stab hidden and save for the deathly paleness it might have been sleep and not death. The face showed no mark or bruise and nothing about it indicated the terrible tragedy.

The grief of the mother as she looked upon her dead boy would have moved the hardest heart to sympathy. She begged him to speak to her and seemed to be unable to realize that he could not do so. She was finally removed to her home still unconsolable.

THE INQUEST

will be held sometime in the morning. The exact hour has not been decided. The jury has not been impaneled.

HARRY OGDEN,

or Buff, as he was known by every one, who was born in Decatur, and was 22 or 23 years of age. He had worked for Peter Perl in his livery stable but since last April he has been in the employ of Caldwell. He had boarded at the Globe hotel for three or four months, but for the last four weeks he has been boarding with his stepfather, James W Johnson, at 752 West Decatur street.

He drank a good deal and when intoxicated he was recognized as a rather ugly character, though he was generally considered a good fellow. At one time he boarded with Hugh Singleton, where he was liked though considered a rough fellow. At one time he threshed a fellow for impudence to Mrs. Singleton. Yesterday afternoon he was drunk and was told by by an employee of Caldwell's that he would die with his boots on

LAFE DUNHAM

was formerly employed in a brick yard here but is now at Taylorville. He came here yesterday and he and Ogden were out drinking together. They left Caldwell's at about 7 30 and were seen together at other times during the evening though Dunham says he was outside the saloon when the killing occured. Ogden and Dunham in company with two girls were at Singleton's when they ate oysters. The girls Singleton describes as good looking. The party left there about a half hour before the crime was committed Dunham is a half brother to the Dunham who, with Holden, was sentenced to hang in Piatt county less than a year ago for the murder of Harley Russell, and whose sentence was afterward commuted to life imprisonment He and Ogden went to the gambling room together

Going to Peoria

It is expected that fully 300 people will go to to Peoria today on the Christian Endeavor excursion At least 200 tickets have been sold The train will leave Peoria at 9 30 tonight arriving here at 12 30 The Decatur members of the Endeavor society are expected to take dinner with the Baptist ladies, who will serve meals in the Baptist church near the convention hall Those school teachers in the city who are members of any Endeavor society have been excused for today, and all will go to Peoria.

Hurt His Ankle

Michael McGinty went up in his barn Wednesday night to take down some hay. He took a bale of hay and started down the steps As he started his foot was caught on the wire around the hay and he fell about eight steps, spraining his ankle quite severely. He will be laid up for several days Dr. Cass Chenoweth attended him.

Trouble About a Girl

Charles Bosley and Elmer Childers room together Wednesday night they got into a fight about a girl though she was not present Yesterday Bosley swore out a warrant charging Childers with assault and battery The case was to come before Justice Curtis, but before it did so the matter was settled amicably and Childers paid the costs

Wants a Divorce

At the January term of the circuit court Mrs Elizabeth Cross will ask for a divorce from her husband, Abel W Cross, on the ground of cruelty. They were married at Georgetown, Tex, May 13 1875 Mrs Cross left her husband the same year and has been separated from him since

Funeral Services

The funeral services over the body of Thomas Wilson will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the residence on Central avenue, Rev. Cake officiating Friends desiring to see the remains may call at the residence between the hours of 9 and 10, as the coffin will not be opened at the funeral

A Young Man

"A Young Man" at the Baptist church has provoked Rev C E Torrey into a series of sermons on his past and future career. Sunday evening at 7 30 the questions will be asked and answered "Did he succeed?" "What is success?"

Kenney.

S W Hutchin was in Clinton on business Saturday.

Rev Newkirk fulfilled his appointment at the M E. church Sunday morning and evening

W. T. Beatty, Edward Craig, C E and John Howard went to Clinton on business Wednesday evening.

F. J Flackerel and son of Clinton are appering the bank building in superb style.

At G. P. Davenport's sale, northeast of here Tuesday, stock sold as low as $5 50 The stock was in an ill condition, which together with the scarcity of food made the buyers offer low figures

The tenth Demorest silver medal contest will occur at the C church Saturday. This is the last of the silver contests The regular number is eight, but the moving away of two of the winners necessitated two more to make the requisite number of contestants to enter for the gold medal

Dr. J. W. Craig of Bloomington made his usual visit Tuesday

E L Howard's school will begin again Monday.

The entertainment given by the Y. P. S. C. E at Fruit's Opera house Saturday evening was of a high order and enjoyed by all present. The receipts were about $25.

R C. Rentfro, the popular correspondent for the Clinton Register, was in Clinton on business Monday.

John T. Blue was created a knight at Kyle lodge, 282, K of P., Tuesday evening.

The commissioners of highways have been notified by certain persons that the road leading from the Kirby school house to the Wallace school house was never legally authorized, and warning them to refrain from taking any steps to build the contemplated bridge at the peril of an injunction. But the records show that the road was legally laid out on the 13th day of July, 1877, making it a lawful highway.

The convention of the Brotherhood of Threshing Engineers was well attended from here Tuesday, but was in reality a failure Chief Mogul Ponsier failed to put in his appearance and the meeting adjourned sine die.

L. W Greene was in Clinton Tuesday.

J. N. Cline is on the sick list, being unable to attend business.

Little George Howard is very sick at present with something resembling low typhus fever.

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Miss Lizzie Boon of Kentucky is visiting Mrs. Laura Jacobsen.

Mrs. Ada Pritchett of Decatur spent Sunday here.

J. P. Faris, I. N. Webb and Horace Pritchett left Monday for a hunting excursion near Campbell, Mo.

William Dingman came home from Dwight Tuesday. His children are very sick.

Miss Lula Hawk is ill.

Mrs. Foster is the guest of her daughter Mrs. L. O. Hawk.

STRAY SCRAPS.

The fifth story is being put on the Syndicate block

S. R. Reed of Monticello was here on business yesterday.

Nelson Gerber, of the Argenta bank, was in the city yesterday.

Doctor Lonergan of Casner was in Decatur yesterday on professional business

Miss Mollie Barnes and Mrs. Albert Barnes returned from Chicago yesterday

Officer Stober arrested a plain drunk last night in the alley back of Brenneman's saloon.

Miss Neta Thatcher will give a large party Saturday night for the Friday Night Dancing class.

Walter P. McDonald, formerly mail carrier here now a resident of Chicago, is here on a visit to his mother.

One of the leading physicians of this city was at one time a newsboy on one of the leading journals of the west.

Miss McGorray will have charge of the evening class of the Woman's club tonight, as all the officers have gone to Peoria.

F. M. Gandy, formerly of Decatur, now of Taylorville, passed through here last night on his return from Northern Indiana.

These are the new members of the Calumet club W H Elwood, James Stafford, S B Nesbit, J. M. Cochran and Frank S. Dodd

Mrs. Brooker, one of the oldest settlers of Long Creek township, is lying at the point of death. She is 84 years of age and is suffering with no special malady.

Michael Troutman has sold his farm of 200 acres, which he recently purchased near Mattoon. The purchaser was E. S Gray of Elwin, and the price paid was $7,500.

A man from Hammond came to Decatur yesterday to get four corn huskers He hunted all day and by night had just one. He went back home without the other three Corn huskers are extremely scarce

The colored masonic lodge has taken 20 shares in a building association. They are getting a start with the expectation before a great while of building a temple. James Hollinger, Hue Singleton and Isaac Rogan is the committee in charge of the matter.

A North Main street photographer "shot" the stone masons at work on the new court house yesterday afternoon They were all very particular about their positions and some time was required to get their mustaches and mallets arranged just right. The groups were very picturesque

A well dressed stranger was being led about the waiting rooms and platform of the depot last night by a pug dog of extraordinary ugliness. He was taking the dog from Keokuk to its owner in Chicago and looked much as the average man does when he has a squalling baby left on his hands.

Andrew Heminger was in Decatur yesterday completing the transfer of the Johns' farm in Whitmer and Oakley township to Henry Schoolcraft of Cerro Gordo. The farm consists of 641 acres of which 200 acres are subject to overflow. The price paid is $21,250 Mr Schoolcraft will use it as a stock farm for which it is well adapted

A singular bet was made by two well known Decatur gentlemen at the St Nicholas hotel last night One of them mentioned, in the course of a conversation, that he had won $250 of the other's money on the Cleveland election The other denied all knowledge of the bet Each politely insisted that he was right A bet of $10 was offered and taken and a third party will decide it.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

General Foreman Needham of the Wabash car shops went to Chicago last night

E H. Smith of the I C railroad office at Maroa was calling on Decatur acquaintances last evening

The Wabash has just put a new desk in the baggage room at the depot It is very conveniently arranged and greatly facilitates the baggagemen in transacting their business

The Decatur Club

The ladies which were invited to the ladies' night at the Decatur club looked forward with pleasure to the reception tendered them by the Decatur club last night. The rooms were brilliantly lighted and everything tastefully arranged The pool room and card room were nearly all filled with the card tables. Drive whist was the amusement of the evening and 15 tables were filled. The prize for the lady was won by Miss Kate C. Harwood a beautiful pin cushion. The gentleman's prize, a silver match safe, was won by Walter Strange. Each winner scored 41 points. Over 30 couples were present. The club gives a reception to their ladies once a month, this being their first one.

Funeral of Mrs Weinmann

Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Joseph Weinmann were held yesterday at the residence on West North street. A large number of friends were present Father Brennan, assistant to Father Mackin of St. Patrick's church, conducted the services The body was put in the receiver's vault, and later will be sent to a northern city for burial The pall bearers were F L Hays, Frank Moore, Daniel Moore, Michael Shea, Charles Hunsley, Paul Smith J A Barnes and Justice A. C Stevens.

The Macon Water Question

Robert Patterson of Macon was in the city yesterday in response to a message that the injunction against the construction of water works at Macon would be argued before Judge Vail The case was not reached but will likely be heard today. Messrs. Patterson, Draper and Washburn are taking an active part against this improvement.

Died in Illini.

Peter Keister of Illini township died last night between 11 and 12 o'clock of paralysis. He was 78 years old and one of the first settlers of Illini township He leaves two sons. The funeral will occur Sunday.

Bradbury Pianos,

Used at the White House, for sale at Chodat's, 153 Merchant street.

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Masquerade Ball

Saturday evening, Nov. 14, at Guards' Armory. Admission 50 cents.

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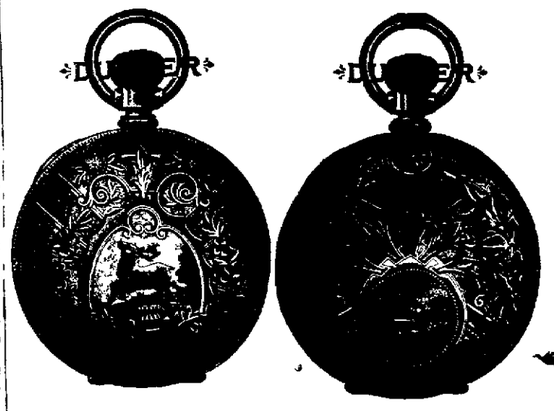

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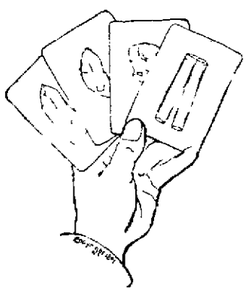

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